



San José Animal Care & Services
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APPLICATION FOR ANIMAL LICENSING

(Serving the incorporated cities of San Jose and Milpitas)

Please print clearly

OWNER INFORMATION:

Primary Pet Owner's Name: _____

Owner's Street Address: _____
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

Mailing address if different from above: _____
CITY STATE ZIP CODE

(Must include residence address; if P.O. Box is mailing address -list both)

Home Phone No.: () Work Phone No.: ()

SENIORS (65 yrs or older) - If you are applying for exemption, you must include a copy of your driver's license or other proof of age. If you live in San Jose, your pet must be altered to qualify for the exemption.

PET INFORMATION:

This License is for: ☐ Dog ☐ Cat Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Pet's Name: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Weight: _____ Breed: _____ Color: _____

Descriptive markings: _____

Is your pet spayed/neutered? ☐ No ☐ Yes Date of Alteration: ____/____/____
(Must include proof of alteration from veterinarian)

RABIES INFORMATION:

(LICENSE WILL **NOT** BE ISSUED WITHOUT A CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION)

Date Vaccinated: ____/____/____ Vaccination Expires: ____/____/____

Veterinarian's Name _____

X _____ Phone No.: _____
Veterinarian Signature

(If a signed Rabies Certificate from veterinarian is submitted with application, signature is not required on this form.)

FOR PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD: Mastercard • Visa • Discover •

Card Holder's Name: _____

Billing Address: _____ **Zip:** _____

Credit Card No: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____ Amount: \$ _____

(Office Use Only):	Check No.:	Amount Paid:	Person ID No.:	Tag No.:	Receipt No.:	Batch No.:
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License Fee Schedule for the cities of San José and Milpitas
(No refunds, no exceptions)

	San Jose		Milpitas
	1 Year	3 Years	1 Year
Dogs – Altered	\$15.00	\$39.00	\$10.00
Dogs – Unaltered	\$32.00	\$90.00	\$35.00
Cats – Altered	\$7.00	\$18.00	\$5.00
Cats – Unaltered	\$19.00	\$55.00	\$25.00

Altered means that female pets are spayed, male pets are neutered

Please make check payable to: City of San Jose

Seniors (65 & up): In San José – 1 free license per household, if pet is altered
In Milpitas – 1 free license per household

Licensing is mandated by state and city law.

State and city laws mandate that all dogs and cats over 4 months of age must be vaccinated for rabies and licensed.

If you reside in an unincorporated area, the County of Santa Clara provides licensing for your area. If you reside in the cities of Campbell, Cupertino, Los Gatos, Monte Sereno, Santa Clara or Saratoga, licensing is provided by Silicon Valley Animal Control Authority.

Santa Clara County Animal Licensing: 1-800-215-2555
Silicon Valley Animal Control Authority: 408-261-5401

Your pet must have a current rabies vaccination to be licensed.

Have your veterinarian complete and sign the front of this application, certifying that the rabies vaccination is current or include a copy of your pet's most current rabies vaccination certificate and signed by your veterinarian.

License tags identify owners of lost pets.

When your pet is licensed, a unique number will be assigned to your pet and you will be given a tag with that number. Persons finding a pet with a license tag can call the phone number printed on the tag and we will be able to identify the owner and reunite them with their pet. If a licensed lost pet is taken to a shelter, the owner can be identified and contacted.

Lost tags will be replaced upon receipt of a written request plus a processing fee of \$3.00 (San José residents) or \$5.00 (Milpitas residents). Note: The original tag issued is not replaced each year. We replace tags only if they are lost or the printed information changes.

Spay/neutering leads to happier and healthier pets. Some of the benefits arising from the spaying and neutering of dogs and cats are: reduced number of unwanted animals that end up in the shelter each year; healthier, longer-living pets; lower or free licensing fees to pet owners; and reduced expense to taxpayers for animal control costs. For more information on the benefits of spay/neuter surgery, please contact your veterinarian. Cat owners who live in San Jose can call (408) 501-2142 for information about their low cost spay/neuter program.

Licensing fees are collected by San José Animal Care & Services for your city. Licensing fees are set by each city.

All stray, dead or injured animals, animal bites and other animal control problems within San Jose and Milpitas should be reported by calling (408) 501-2130.

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